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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1 and 3-30 are pending in the application. The Applicants thank the Examiner for his suggested amendments and have amended claims 1, 13, 16, 19, 23, 27, and 30 accordingly. Reconsideration in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

For all the above reasons, the Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (408) 975-7500 to discuss any matter concerning this application.

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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